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- 2. The method of Claim 1, wherein the route information includes at least two landmarks and generating a route further includes finding a route of shortest distance between the two landmarks.
- 3. The method of Claim 1, wherein the route information includes at least two sub-routes and generating a route further includes finding a route of shortest distance between the two sub-routes.
- 4. The method of Claim 1, wherein the portable locker station includes a plurality of lockers for enclosing products, each of the plurality of lockers having a unique access code, the method further comprising transmitting to the buyer an access code for a locker enclosing the buyer's product, the locker selected from the plurality of lockers.
- 5. A data processing system adapted to schedule and deliver an ordered product to a buyer along the buyer's commuting route, comprising:
 - a processor; and
- a memory operably coupled to the processor and having program instructions stored therein, the processor being operable to execute the program instructions, the program instructions including:

receiving route information from a buyer;

generating a route from the route information;

selecting from a plurality of pickup points a pickup point based on the route; and

dispatching a portable locker station to the pickup point, the portable locker station enclosing the ordered product.

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- 6. The data processing apparatus of claim 5, wherein the route information includes at least two landmarks, the program instructions for generating a route further including finding a route of shortest distance between the two landmarks.
- 7. The data processing apparatus of claim 5, wherein the route information includes at least two sub-routes, the program instructions for generating a route further including finding a route of shortest distance between the two sub-routes.
- 8. The data processing apparatus of claim 5, wherein the portable locker station includes a plurality of lockers for enclosing products, each of the plurality of lockers having a unique access code, the program instructions further including transmitting to the buyer an access code for a locker enclosing the buyer's product, the locker selected from the plurality of lockers.
 - 9. A portable locker station, comprising:
- a plurality of lockers, each of the plurality of lockers having an electronically actuated lock;
- a controller electrically coupled to each of the electronically actuated locks, the controller having means for storing a plurality of access codes associated with the lockers; and
- a keypad electrically coupled to the controller whereby a buyer enters an access code to unlock an associated locker.
- 10. The portable locker station of claim 9, further comprising a removable divider between adjoining lockers whereby a single locker is created from two or more lockers by removing the divider.